

APLIUT – Nîmes, mai-juin 2007
English Teaching Activities Swap Shop

Sujet : *Blood Diamond*

➤ **Type d'exercice** : groupe de L3 (3^e année de Licence) Economie-Gestion, Grenoble 2.
Warm-up
Thème général : Business Ethics (2/3 séances)

➤ **Site du film:**

<http://blooddiamondmovie.warnerbros.com/>

➤ **Plot synopsis:** Set against the backdrop of civil war and chaos in 1990's Sierra Leone, *Blood Diamond* is the story of Danny Archer (Leonardo DiCaprio) - an ex Mercenary from Zimbabwe - and Solomon Vandy (Djimon Hounsou) - a Mende fisherman. Both men are African, but their histories as different as any can be, until their fates become joined in a common quest to recover a rare pink diamond that can transform their lives. While in prison for smuggling, Archer learns that Solomon - who was taken from his family and forced to work in the diamond fields - has found and hidden the extraordinary rough stone. With the help of Maddy Bowen (Jennifer Connelly), an American journalist whose idealism is tempered by a deepening connection with Archer, the two men embark on a trek through rebel territory, a journey that could save Solomon's family and give Archer the second chance he thought he would never have. (<http://www.amazon.com/>)

➤ **Lien à partir du site du film** : Global Witness and Amnesty International
<http://www.blooddiamondaction.org/>

➤ **Downloads:**

Global Witness: "Conflict Diamonds: What's happening now" (2 pages)

Global Witness: "The US Diamond Sector" (4 pages)

Global Witness: "The Truth about Diamonds" (7 pages)

Companion Curriculum to *Blood Diamond* (58 pages)

Brochure Amnesty International / Global Witness "Buyer's Guide"

➤ World Diamond Council (<http://www.diamondfacts.org/index.aspx>): Consumer Brochure

➤ PBS: Lesson Plan: Conflict Diamonds

http://www.pbs.org/newshour/extra/teachers/lessonplans/world/conflict_diamonds_12-06.html